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In re application of: D.C. Challener et al

Art Unit No.: 2137

Application No.: 10/063,988

Examiner: A.S. Abyaneh

File Date: 31 May 2002

Customer No. 25299

For: Assurance of Authentication in a Computer System Apparatus and Method

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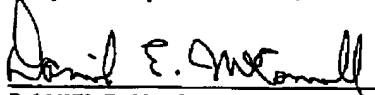
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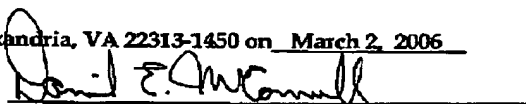
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